

the fact that the place is frequented by distinguished visitors from all parts, Government be addressed to kindly raise the bungalow to a 2nd class travellers' bungalow.

Commission to Pound-keepers and Cost of feeding Impounded Cattle.—A decreased provision has been made under these two heads in consideration of the actual expenditure incurred on their account during the year 1900-01.

Destruction of Bushes for Snakes.—No expenditure was incurred under this head during the previous year and a provision of Rs. 500 only has been made under this head with a view to maintain some balance at the close of the year, a sum of Rs. 500 being deemed sufficient for the purpose. As to the other items of expenditure the figures for 1901-02, have been repeated, wherever possible.

Final Resolution on the Budget.—Resolved that the budget be passed and submitted to Government for sanction.

3. The following papers were read for the information of the Board:—

(1) Government Order No. 4796—L. F. 67-99, dated 17th September 1901, declining to provide funds from Local Funds General for the project of opening a road connecting Hole-Narsipur with Channarayapatna and directing that the project may lie over till funds became available.

(2) Government Order No. 11369-70—L. F. 6-91, dated 8th January 1902, requesting the President to push on the incomplete works of previous years to completion out of the total sum of Rs. 6,500 provided in the District Fund budget for 1901-02, for works to be executed by the Revenue Department.

(3) Government Order No. 8337-44—L. F. 249-96, dated 2nd December 1901, sanctioning the nomination of Pleader Mr. Venkataramiah of Hole-Narsipur as recommended by the District Fund Board in place of Mr. Sahukar Venkataramaiya of Konanur.

(4) Read Government Proceedings No. 11525-34—L. F. 40-1900, dated 11th January 1902, sanctioning tentatively for 2 years, annual rewards of three prizes of Rs. 10, 8 and 5 respectively to the servants of the travellers' bungalows for the best kept compounds and calling for a report from the Deputy Commissioners at the end of two years.

Resolution.—Recorded.

4. Read Senior Surgeon's docket No. 280, dated 14th November 1901, forwarding for needful action, copy of Hassan Division Executive Engineer's docket No. 923, dated 7th November regarding the construction of a new dispensary at Banavar (estimated to cost about Rs. 5,700) after the type plan approved by the Senior Surgeon.

Resolution.—Resolved that the outlay on the work proposed is very heavy and that the work may lie over in consideration of the existing paucity of District Funds.

5. Read letters from Mr. Mahomed Gouse Sab, expressing his inability to attend the meeting owing to the death of his wife and the illness of his children.

Read letter from Mr. W. L. Crawford expressing his inability to attend the meeting owing to an accident.

Resolution.—Recorded with the observation that the absence of these members from three consecutive meetings of the Board might be condoned and the Government be addressed accordingly.

D. DEVARAJ URS, *President.*

KADUR DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DISTRICT FUND BOARD MEETING HELD ON FRIDAY
THE 10TH JANUARY 1902.

PRESENT.

H. H. Sparkes, Esq., *President.*

Official Members.

Executive Engineer.

Assistant Commissioner, Northern Division.

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Chikmagalur Amildar.

Southern Division.

Central Division.

Koppa Amildar.

Mudgere Amildar.

Deputy Amildar of Yedahalli was also present.

ABSENT.

Civil Surgeon.

Kadur Amildar.

Tarikere Amildar

PRESENT.

Non-Official Members.

Mr. M. Ganesha Rao.
 „ P. Ranganna.
 „ Channakesava Rao.

Mr. C. Kuppasami Pille.
 „ T. Sreenivasa Rao.
 „ B. Gundappa.

ABSENT.

Mr. C. H. Godfrey.

I. Secretary's docket No. 6019—L. F. 4-92 of the 9th October 1901, stating that it is not possible to meet Rs. 1,000 being the District Fund share of contribution on account of the construction of the Female Dispensary at Chikmagalur from the closing balance in the current year's District Fund budget of the Kadur Circle, and requesting the President to point out the source from which the deficit can be met and funds provided for the construction of the dispensary building above referred to.

Resolved that the Rs. 1,000 be provided for out of next year's budget.

II. Secretary's docket No. 6736—L. F. 163-96, dated 28th October 1901, forwarding copy of letter No. 1837, dated 18th September 1901 from the Senior Surgeon with its enclosures in original and requesting the President to state whether the Municipal Board of Sakrepatna and the District Fund Committee of Kadur are willing and could afford to pay their quota of contribution towards the construction of a Dispensary building in the town, estimated to cost Rs. 8,395, and if so, requesting the President to specify the sources in the current year's Municipal and District Fund budgets from which the charge can be met.

NOTE.—The Municipal Board are unable to pay Rs. 2,798 in a lump, but they promise to pay at the rate of Rs. 240 a year.

Resolved that as the Municipal Board are unable to pay their contribution and as there are no funds at the disposal of this Board, that the Public Works Department be asked to transfer the old travellers' bungalow now used as an Inspection lodge to be handed over for this purpose as a temporary resource.

III. Government Order No. 8412-20—L. F. 29-1900 of 3rd December 1901, sanctioning grants from the Local Funds general for the execution of certain works during the current year.

Recorded.
 IV. Read Tarikere Amildar's report No. 250, dated the 6th January 1902, requesting that Government be addressed to sanction Rs. 3,800 for well and other works which are very necessary.

Resolved that these works are not considered very necessary, and may stand over for the present.

V. Read Kadur Amildar's report No. 258, dated 30th December 1901, requesting a grant of Rs. 1,816 for well works.

Resolved that Government be asked to sanction a sum of Rs. 494 for the well as water is badly required there, the raiyats have dug the well and found water and the amount now asked for is required for lining it.

VI. Government Order No. 9320-22—L. F. 8-1901 of the 16th December 1901, sanctioning the transfer of Rs. 1,100 from "B Public Works to be executed by the Revenue Department" to "A Public Works to be executed by the Public Works Department" and also approving of the proposal to meet the excess amount of Rs. 75 required for establishment charges from savings under other works.

Recorded.

VII. Koppa Amildar's report No. 28, dated 19th December 1901, stating that the work of the conservancy cannot be satisfactorily managed with the two sweepers allowed for Koppa, as one is deputed to keep the town clean at Upper Koppa and the other at Lower Koppa in addition to the duties at balagadi quarters and praying for (1) the entertainment of an additional sweeper on Rs. 6 and (2) an increment of Re. 1 to each of the two sweepers provided for the place to facilitate the entertainment of temporary sweepers who could not be had for anything less than Rs. 6 per mensem, as the sweepers invariably fall ill in the Malnad of Koppa.

Resolved that this be provided for in the budget.

VIII. Government Order No. 9878-81—L. F. 43-99 of the 21st December 1901, according sanction to the excess expenditure incurred over the budget grants in the Kadur Local Fund Circle, and authorising the Comptroller to admit the same in the last year's accounts of the Kadur Local Fund Circle.

Recorded.

IX. Read Mudgere Amildar's report No. 79, dated 5th January 1902, requesting that funds be provided to meet the cost of allowance to the Hospital Assistant at Kalasa for visiting Balehole.

Resolved that there are no funds until Government sanction the taking over of certain roads proposed.

X. Budget estimates of the Kadur Local Fund Circle for 1902-03.

Resolved that as there are no funds available, that no proposals for original works can be entertained by the Public Works Department, also that as the funds at the disposal of the Board are inadequate for keeping up the present roads at their present rates, that Government be asked to take over the following roads as Provincial to enable the Board to meet the 25 per cent for Revenue Fund:—

	Rs.
Chikmagalur-Tarikere road 35 miles at Rs. 80	2,800
Shimoga-Yedahalli 10½ miles at Rs. 100	1,050
Kotigehar-Kalasa-Sollebyle road 53 miles, 27 at 100 and 26 at Rs. 60	4,260
Bale-honnur-Magundi-Balur road 18 miles, 7 miles at Rs. 60 and 11 at 50	970
Total 116½ miles	9,080

The proposed budget after these reductions etc., will be as follows:—

	Rs.
1. Opening balance	1,369
2. Estimated receipts	52,877
Total	51,508
3. Expenditure on works by Public Works Department	20,000
4. Do Revenue Department	1,308
5. Do Civil charges	18,000
Total Expenditure	39,008
6. Closing balance	12,500

It is further resolved that inquiries be made as to the necessity of keeping the Dispensary at Hariharpur open.

ANANDA RAO SIRSI for *President*.

SHIMOGA DIVISION.

The 11th April 1902.

1. Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the office of the Executive Engineer, Shimoga Division, up to 6th May 1902, for constructing Anglo-Vernacular School at Shimoga. An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed by the end of December 1904.

2. The plans, detailed estimate, and conditions may be seen at the Executive Engineer's office at Shimoga, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.

3. Tenders should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Executive Engineer. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 500 in cash or Government Promissory Notes, as earnest money, and be superscribed "Tenders for Anglo-Vernacular School," in default of which tenders will be rejected.

5. The first acceptance of any tender will rest with the Superintending Engineer, Western Circle, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual contract bond, in default of which, his tender will be considered cancelled, and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful competitor whose tender has been accepted will be posted on the notice board in the Executive Engineer's office in due course. No enquiries regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.